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RAILROAD COMBINE

A Proposed Merger of the Southern Systems.

Improvement Is Said to Be Already Under Way—Legislative Session Talked of.

BRYAN AND OARMACK TO SPEAK

SOUTHERN MERGER.

Nashville, July 24—The Banner says this morning: "An extraordinary session of the legislature is a possibility as the result of the announcement that a merger of the Southern railroad systems is in process of formation. A strong movement is already on foot to this end if the reports of the consolidation should prove to be true and it is apparently the unanimous opinion of the business men that the state of Tennessee should do everything in its power to oppose the consummation of a combination. The plan proposed is that Governor McMillin should at once institute a thorough investigation of the rumors concerning the merger and, if they be found to have foundation in truth and it is discovered that the consolidation is being made, then invoke every power of the state government to stop it. It is said petitions calling upon the governor to call an extra session are already being signed, and that they will be presented to the chief executive in due time."

DEMOCRATIC FEAST.

Boston, July 24—Everything is in readiness for the great banquet of the New England Democratic League, which is to be held at Naticket beach tomorrow and at which at least 400 men of national reputation are to give their views on questions of political importance. The presiding officer will be Mayor Patrick A. Collins of Boston, a former congressman and consul general to London under President Cleveland. The speakers will be William J. Bryan of Nebraska, Edward M. Shepard of New York and Senator E. W. Carmack of Tennessee. Dinner will be served at the Rockland house at noon. About 300 persons have secured tickets to the dinner. After dinner the party will adjourn to a mammoth tent, where the speaking will take place.

OUTLAW TRACY.

APPEARED AT A LOGGING CAMP FOR DINNER.

Tacoma, Wash., July 24—Harry Tracy, the outlaw, appeared at Miller's logging camp, four miles from Kanaskat, yesterday and at dinner. Tracy is not wounded and looks fresh and rested. He is wearing a derby hat, but he had a slouch hat in his pocket. He still has his rifle and two revolvers and has a good supply of ammunition.

THE MARKETS.

(Furnished by Arena & Gilbert, of the Paducah Commission Co.)

	OPEN	CLOSE
WHEAT—		
July.....	79 1/2	79 1/2
September.....	77 1/2	77 1/2
December.....	74 1/2	74 1/2
CORN—		
July.....	67	67
September.....	61 1/2	61 1/2
December.....	56 1/2	56 1/2
OATS—		
July.....	51	51
September.....	31	30 1/2
December.....	29 1/2	29 1/2
PORE—		
July.....	17 3/4	17 40
Sept.....	17 40	17 40
January.....	16 30	16 17
Lard—		
July.....	10 70	10 80
Sept.....	9 00	9 00
January.....	10 37	10 50
Sept.....	10 45	10 50
January.....	8 47	8 47

HE HYPNOTIZED HER

Man Wanted in Illinois Arrested at Smithland, Ky. for Bigamy.

He Is Alleged to Have Fooled a Girl Into Marrying Him in Illinois.

HE IS NOW SAFE IN JAIL

Jackson D. Hill was arrested a day or two ago in Smithland, Livingston county, Ky., by Sheriff Byers, of Mattoon, Ill., on a charge of bigamy. It appears from reports that he has three wives.

Not long ago he went to Mattoon, Ill., and met Miss Lucy Bush, a young lady of that place. She was unable to resist his blandishments it seems and after a four days' courtship she consented at his urgent request, to marry him, and they were united at Charleston, Ill.

Four days later he deserted her and disappeared.

She now claims he hypnotized her, and she did not know what she was doing when the ceremony was performed. Her relatives began to look for Hill, and finally located him at Smithland where he had another wife, with whom he was then living.

It has since developed that he also has a wife in Delevan, Ill.

He consented when arrested at Smithland to return to Illinois without a requisition, and is now in jail at Charleston, where he married the last time.

SLAIN BY LADRONES

Bodies of the Missing School Teachers Found.

Leader of the Murderers Killed and Eight Others Captured.

Washington, July 24—The war department has received the following cablegram regarding the school teachers who have been missing from Cebu since June 1:

"John E. Welis, 200 Montgomery avenue, Providence, R. I., and his cousin, Louis A. Thomas, same address; Ernest Heger, 1413 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.; Clyde A. France, Eureka, O.; missing Cebu, murdered by ladrones, bodies recovered. Leader murders killed; eight others captured by constabulary."

DEATH FOR AGED FIEND.

JURY IN TEXAS MAKES SHORT WORK OF BRISCOE FREDERICKSON.

Henderson, Tex., July 24—The jury in the case of the state of Texas against Briscoe Frederickson, the old negro charged with criminal assault on a little white girl, brought in a verdict of guilty and assessed his punishment at death. The prisoner was escorted by soldiers to the depot, to be carried to the penitentiary for safekeeping. Frederickson is 70 years of age.

Y. M. O. A. RECEPTION.

The Y. M. O. A. reception will be held tonight and Secretary Escoff wishes all members to come and bring their friends with them. This will be the first reception held at the association in some time and as all have heretofore proven popular it is thought that the attendance will be unusually large, none having been held in so long.

ASK FOR \$160,000 DAMAGES

Messrs. James and Robert Owen Sue the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

They Claim Infringement on Their Ferry Privileges and Ask That the Transfer Boat Be Stopped.

The most important suits filed in the McCracken circuit court perhaps in many years, and aggregating doubtless the largest amount of damages ever asked at any one time, were filed this afternoon by Attorneys Pryor and Ray, Paducah; John W. Rey, Frankfort, and S. Bartlett Kerr, of Metropolis, Ill., against the Illinois Central Railroad company to secure a permanent injunction compelling it to stop running its transfer boat the W. H. Osborne between Paducah and Brookport, and for a total of \$160,000 damages.

There are four suits, two filed for Robert Owen for \$35,000 each, and the other two filed for Mr. James Owen, present owner of the ferry boat Bettie Owen, for \$45,000 each. The claims are based on the allegation that the railroad company is operating a ferry boat between Paducah and Brookport infringing on the plaintiff's rights under an exclusive grant from the state of Kentucky.

There have been only three or four of such cases ever filed in the United States, and one of the pleas made in these suits is that the Illinois Central railroad is a Kentucky corporation, something never before claimed in any court.

The reason there are four suits is that each gentleman sues for fares and receipts for transportation of freight, etc., from Paducah to Brookport and from Brookport back to Paducah. They are under the law authorized to claim five years back, and Mr. Robert Owen's petitions are for damages to business from 1897 to 1899, as surviving partner of Owens Brothers, and Mr. James Owen's petitions as owner from 1899 until the present time.

The most important question involved, however, is the stopping of the transfer boat from plying between Paducah and Brookport, which would seriously affect the railroad business from Paducah to St. Louis, both freight and passenger.

The style of the suits is James Owen against the Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans railroad, the Paducah Union Depot company, and the Illinois Central Railroad company, and Robert Owen against the same.

The actions separately allege that the defendants are corporations of the state, with power to sue and be sued. That the plaintiff is now the owner of the exclusive right, privilege and franchise to operate a ferryboat from Paducah to Brookport, on the Illinois side, the same being obtained under a contract lease from the city of Paducah, for fifteen years, running from September 22, 1890, until September 22, 1905. The right of the city of Paducah to do this is shown by quoting the state law. It is then alleged that the franchise is a very valuable one, and one that the plaintiffs exercised for many years without question or molestation as to the exclusive right. It is claimed that the defendants, on the other hand, have established and run a ferryboat for the transportation of passengers and freight from Paducah to Brookport regularly notwithstanding the above exclusive right, the landings of the defendants company being within one mile and a half of the plaintiff's landings both here and on the Illinois side. That the company's ferryboat is thus run many times a day between Paducah and Brookport, to the great disadvantage and injury of the plaintiff's business, on which suit is brought for \$45,000 damages.

The suit for damages for injury to business from Brookport to Paducah is for a similar amount, and the petition sets forth that the plaintiffs have exclusive privilege to run from Brookport to Paducah until 1912, their franchise having been renewed in March of this year. This privilege was first granted to the late Valentine Owen in 1855, and he established the first ferry between Paducah and

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A MAYFIELD WOMAN

Mrs. Sallie J. Kinkead Sues a Henderson Man for \$50,000 Damages

She Takes a Jug of Whiskey and Creates Excitement by Publicly Smashing It.

QUITE A SENSATION CREATED

Mrs. Sallie J. Kinkead, until a short time ago in charge of one of Mayfield's hotels, is the plaintiff in a big suit filed at Sebree. Mrs. Kinkead sold out some months ago at Mayfield, and started the First National hotel at Sebree, Webster county. She is well known here, and has many friends to whom the particulars will be of interest.

The suit she has just filed in the Webster circuit court is against John R. Lambert, of Henderson, for \$50,000 damages. Mr. Lambert, who is camping at the Cascade camp ground, thought that a jug of whiskey would be a good thing to have while camping, and ordered it. He had it shipped to the First National hotel, room 3. He asked Policeman Sutton to go to the express office and get it for him, which he readily consented to do. Sutton made his demand, but the agent refused to let the whiskey go except upon the order of Mrs. Kinkead, which she refused to give. Mrs. Kinkead went to the express office, paid the charges, took the jug, and smashed it in the presence of a large crowd.

Sebree is a local option town, and Mrs. Kinkead, who is running the only hotel in the place, says it will injure her business to have such reports go out, hence the suit. Mr. Lambert is circuit clerk of Henderson county. F. M. Hutcheson, Jr., is attorney for the plaintiff, and the case will come up at the December term.

MORE HOSE BURST

Fire Department Unable to do any Work at the Fire.

Four Small Houses Burned to the Ground Early This Morning.

Four small houses were completely destroyed by fire this morning about 3 o'clock near the Chamblin and Murray brick yard. Two of the houses belonged to Chris Liebel and the other two to Dave Harris, colored, and Dan Gibson, colored. The total loss will amount to about \$850.

It is said that two of the houses were burned as a result of a drunken orgy, and that the houses of Harris and Gibson, hard working men, were lost as a result. The fire department went out and worked until the hose burst, and then had to come back.

LOAN PROBLEM IN CUBA.

HOUSE HOLDING OUT FOR THIRTY-FIVE MILLIONS.

Havana, July 24—The matter of a loan still absorbs the attention of both houses of congress. The lower house takes the position that it will not vote the small loan of \$4,000,000 which has been proposed, except as a part of a large loan of \$35,000,000 to be used in paying the Cuban army.

TWO HUNDRED DROWNED.

Hongkong, July 24—A native steamer has capsized in the West river and 200 persons drowned.

REVOLTING CHARGE

W. B. Padgett, Keeper of the County Poor House, in Jail.

A Fourteen Year Old Blind Girl Charges Him with Forcibly Ruining Her.

TRIAL AT 9 O'CLOCK TOMORROW

County Judge R. T. Lightfoot this morning issued a warrant against W. B. Padgett, keeper of the county poor farm, on a charge of rape. Padgett is alleged to have committed the revolting crime of forcibly ruining Mary Poe, a 14 year old blind girl who is an inmate of the poor farm, and who came back from Louisville to spend her vacation recently, the poor farm being the only place she had to go.

Yesterday afternoon a woman and child called on Judge Lightfoot at the court house, and reported the alleged facts. The woman was Mrs. R. W. Chiles, wife of the well known preacher, and the girl was Mary Poe, the victim. The latter told her story to Judge Lightfoot, claiming that two weeks ago Padgett seized her and forced her to submit to him, threatening to kill her if she ever told. She was so worried over it that finally she reported it to Rev. Chiles and the latter, being ill, sent her to Judge Lightfoot with his wife.

Not desiring to act hastily, Judge Lightfoot waited until this morning to hold an investigation, and was at once satisfied that the evidence justified the issuance of a warrant.

Judge Lightfoot stated to a reporter this morning that he had been hearing unpleasant things about the poor farm for some little time, and might have expected something to turn up. He will declare the position of keeper of the poor farm vacant immediately, and call fiscal court to meet Saturday to ratify the action and elect Padgett's successor.

Padgett is 60 years old and seemingly was a quiet, well behaved man until recently. Only last Saturday it is alleged, he was drunk at the court house, and invited a crowd at the mass convention to accompany him to the office of another county officer and partake of free drinks. While on their way he claims he was robbed of \$80.

The unfortunate Poe girl, blind and unable to protect herself from such brutes, was taken from a shanty boat about four months ago and through the efforts of Rev. Chiles sent to the school for the blind at Louisville. She was sent home a few weeks ago to spend the vacation months, and had no place to go except the poor farm. The girl's mother died on a shanty boat several months ago, leaving her alone. She has been blind several years, having lost her sight from an attack of fever.

It is understood that Padgett claims there is not an iota of truth in the story told by the girl, and that the reason she told it was that a woman at the poor house who is in love with him put her up to it because Padgett will not marry her, the woman.

This morning one of his friends, however, made a suggestion about keeping it out of court, and the blind girl spoke up and declared that it would not be kept out of court under any circumstances. Her every manner suggests that she has told the truth.

Padgett was arrested shortly after noon and committed to jail. He had turned himself over to Justice Sheehan, it appears, and after being taken to jail the sheriff served the warrant on him.

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Beautiful Thoughts

The sweet, pure breath of the babe is suggestive of innocence and health. Some children are as light and delicate as the modest flower, some are strong and bright, some are frail and sickly.

Mother's Friend

It is a remedy, easily administered and for external use only. No risk, no experiment, merely a pain reliever and harmless.

EXAMINATION TOMORROW

ELI HUTCHINSON TO BE TRIED BEFORE JUDGE LIGHTFOOT.

Eli Hutchinson, charged with the murder of his brother-in-law, Henry Gray, will be given an examining trial tomorrow morning before County Judge Lightfoot, at the court house. He has been in jail about two weeks, and his preliminary trial was postponed from last week.

CURES SCIATICA.

Rev. W. L. Riley, L.L.D., Cuba, New York, writes: "After 15 days of excruciating pain from sciatic rheumatism, under various treatments, I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, the first application giving my first relief, and the second, entire relief. I can give it unqualified recommendation. 25c, 50c and \$1 at DuBois Kolb and Co."

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IT IS A NEW QUESTION HOW NUNN DID IT

Attorney Lucas, of the City, up
Against it Slightly at Louisville.

He Will Have to Fight the Brewers'
Combine in Suits for the
New License.

SUES THE WRONG FIRM

Anditor's Agent Frank Lucas, of the city, has sprung a new question in the state during his brief service in his new position. He has filed suit at Louisville against the various breweries of the Central Consumers' company to compel them to pay the licenses required by the law passed by the last legislature and becoming effective July 10, an interesting point will be developed. The question to be decided will be whether or not the state will recognize such a combine as one brewing company and accept the payment of a single license as satisfying the demands of the new law or whether it will insist upon the payment of a license of each of the branches of the Central Consumers' company. Brewery licenses under the new law are \$200 and the Central Consumers' company has already paid this license.

There are half a dozen breweries in the combine and the management is more in favor of paying the state \$200 for one license than it is of paying \$1,200 for its branches. Revenue Agent Lucas says that he was perfectly aware that the Central Consumers' company has paid a license, but according to his construction of the law each brewery in the state has to pay a license of \$200 and he was going to enforce the law as he saw it.

Attorney Lucas has sued one Louisville firm that is out in a public statement. He admits that he made a mistake, but the firm claims it will cost an attorney's fee to get out of it just the same, and there is no way to recover except by suing the agent individually.

Attorney Lucas returned from Louisville today. He states that he made settlements with a number of those against whom suits were brought. He will probably be in Paducah for some time now, and does not know where he will do his next work.

PADUCAH SELECTED.

POSTMEN TO MEET IN THE CITY NEXT YEAR.

Secretary Fred Acker, of the local Postmen's branch, has been notified by State President Henry Rouse, of Lexington, that Paducah has been selected as the place for holding the next meeting of the state association, the last meeting of which closed Monday at Newport. Each city in the state that has free delivery is entitled to a delegate, and there will be about 50 in attendance. It will begin the third Sunday in next July.

BUCKNER SHOT AT.

NEGRO WANTED BY THE POLICE GIVEN A LIVELY CHASE.

Frank Buckner is the name of a negro who has been wanted by the police for several months past for shooting another negro in the stomach in a crap game near Ninth and Washington streets. Last night he was located by Officers Potter, Singery and Goutreux, at Tenth and Norton streets, and several shots were fired at him while he was making his escape.

BURNED BY POWDER.

John Fisher, colored, was playing with powder on the Cumberland Presbyterian steps yesterday when it was accidentally ignited as he bent over it. He was badly burned about the face. Dr. Reddick attended him.

White Threw Down the Robbins
Crowd Good and Strong in the End.

It Was the White Votes That Elected
Nunn in the Sixty-second
Ballot.

SOME FEELING SORE TODAY

As briefly told in yesterday afternoon's paper, Judge T. J. Nunn, of Madisonville, Hopkins county, captured the appellate nomination in the First district Democratic convention on the sixty-second ballot yesterday afternoon, receiving 106 votes.

He beat the combination with the assistance of White, who finally saw that he stood no chance of winning, and determined to down the man who had attempted to cripple him and Nunn by the combine organization.

It all happened almost before many realized it. The candidates all seemed afraid to suggest that the hindmost man be dropped, each fearing treachery which would result in his own undoing. A couple of such resolutions were offered, but not seconded.

The Robbins men, after dinner, professed to think that the White men had agreed to go over to Robbins, deeming that they would not afford to throw down the first district gauntlet. In this, however, they reckoned without their host. White, at the proper time, had no hesitancy in delivering his vote to the candidate from the Second congressional district. It was probably no more than could have been expected, as six years ago he himself secured the nomination in the same way. Yeaman's forces from above coming below and nominating White over the late Judge W. S. Bishop. He probably felt he owed a debt of gratitude to some extent to the men from above the river, and yesterday afternoon paid it, and at the same time taught the machine clique a lesson.

Judge Nunn's vote in the sixty-second ballot was the 82 he had all the time, with Ballard 9, Hickman 6 and Carlisle 8, the latter changing his vote to Nunn after the call of the counties. A great many on the floor did not know that it was over until the chair announced the result. There was at once a mighty cheer, and Judge Nunn, who was sitting outside, was surrounded by a crowd of eager, excited friends. Judge Nunn was escorted to the chair and briefly thanked the convention. Judge Cook, Judge Robbins and Judge White were successively called, and responded thanking the delegations for their support in the contest, extending congratulations to the winner, and pledging him their support.

The only variation at the afternoon session in the balloting was that complimentary votes were given C. C. Grassham of Livingston, W. E. Bourland of Hopkins, Flean Gordon of Union, D. H. Hughes of Hopkins, and J. Wheeler Campbell and Jesse Gilbert of Paducah.

All this voting was done by McCracken, Union and Webster, the delegations to which seemed quite in a playful mood over the monotonous grind of the convention. McCracken finally got so kitterish that the chairman had to call it down.

After thanking the chairman and secretaries at the conclusion of speeches, the convention adjourned sine die. Most of the delegates have returned home, only a few, who probably feel like the little boy the calf ran over and can't, having remained.

ARE TO BE CONGRATULATED.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton K. Younts are to be congratulated on the arrival of Miss Elizabeth Paynter Younts at Greenup, where both mother and child are doing well. Mrs. Younts has been visiting there for the past several weeks.

"A HELPING HAND."

IS GLADLY EXTENDED BY A PADUCAH CITIZEN.

There are many enthusiastic citizens in Paducah prepared to tell their experience for the public good. Testimony from such a source is the best of evidence and will prove a "helping hand" to scores of readers. Read the following statement:

Mr. J. W. Hart, of 233 Jefferson street, proprietor of a boarding house near Central park, says: "I had attacks of kidney complaint for four or five years and every time I caught cold it settled in the loins and I suffered severely. When the spells were at their worst I could hardly stoop or bend. If I did stoop I was compelled to regain an erect position, very slowly. On such occasions trouble with the kidney secretions existed and when last annoyed I noticed Doan's Kidney Pills advertised at DuBois and Co.'s drug store and guaranteed to cure just such symptoms of kidney complaint mentioned above. Getting them and using as directed the result of the treatment was decidedly satisfactory."

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BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

American Association—Louisville 2-4, Columbus 1-3; Toledo 6-4, Indianapolis 0-12; Kansas City 7, Minneapolis 5; Milwaukee 3-9, St. Paul 2-1.

National League—St. Louis 10, Pittsburgh 4; Boston 3, Philadelphia 0; New York 4, Brooklyn 1; Chicago-Cincinnati, wet grounds.

American League—Boston 3, St. Louis 2; Philadelphia 5, Detroit 2; Baltimore 7, Chicago 5; Washington 6, Cleveland 5.

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MR. ED GILLEN RESIGNS.

Mr. Ed Gillen has resigned his position with J. L. Kilgore, and next Monday leaves for Caruthersville, Mo., to locate and engage in the retail furniture business with Mr. E. L. Reeves. He expects the first of the year to go to Marshall, Tex., to open a branch house. Mr. Gillen is a young man of great popularity, as well as one of sterling worth, and he will do well and make friends anywhere.

REPULSIVE FEATURES.

Blackheads, pimples, greasy faces and muddy complexions, which are so common among women, especially girls at a certain age, destroying beauty, disfiguring and making repulsive features which would otherwise appear attractive and refined, indicate that the liver is out of order. An occasional dose of Herbine will cleanse the bowels, regulate the liver and establish a clear, healthy complexion. 50c at DuBois, Kolb and Co.

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Lot 113 Ladies' Common Sense Button Shoe, regular \$1.50 value, cut price 99c. Sizes 3 1/2 to 8	Men's Oxfords Vici Kid, single sole, Break fast, low cut, most comfortable shoe made, regular price \$3.50, cut price \$2.99.
Lot 153 Ladies' 7 and 8 sizes worth \$1.75, cut price 99c.	Lot 63 Ladies' Patent Kid, Military heel, Welt Oxford, regular price \$3.50, cut price \$1.99.
Lot 165 Ladies' Lace or Button, Patent Tip, worth \$1.75, for 99c	Lot 81 Ladies' Patent Kid Oxford, Opera heel, sole hand-made, regular price \$3.50, cut price \$1.99.
Lot 36 Ladies' Stock Tip, One Strap flow, worth \$1.50, for 99c	Ladies' Oxfords' 35 pair, regular price \$2 to \$2.50, cut price 99c.
One lot of Ladies' Tan Shoes that sold for \$3 and \$3.50, to close at \$1.49.	Ladies' Common Sense Oxfords at 50c.
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THE RIVER NEWS.

THE STAGES.

Cairo, 28.0—0.4 fall.
Chattanooga, 2.6—0.3 fall.
Cincinnati, 13.6—1.0 rise.
Evansville, 11.7—0.2 fall.
Florence, 1.0—0.3 fall.
Johnsonville, 3.3—0.2 fall.
Louisville, 6.2—0.1 fall.
Mt. Carmel, 5.9—0.2 fall.
Nashville, 1.9—0.3 fall.
Pittsburg, 8.7—0.2 fall.
Davis Island Dam, 9.7—0.2 fall.
St. Louis, 26.7—0. rise.
Paducah, 14.1—0.6 fall.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 14.1 on the gauge, a fall of 0.6 in last 24 hours. Wind southeast a light breeze. Weather clear and warmer. Rainfall last 24 hours 0.11 inches. Temperature 74. Pell, Observer.

The Mary Stewart departed at noon for Golconda.

The Clyde left last night at 6 o'clock for Waterloo.

The Avalon is due Sunday from Cincinnati to Memphis.

The Clifton is due Friday from St. Louis to Tennessee river.

The J. B. Richardson left at noon for Nashville with a good trip.

The Tennessee is due tonight from Tennessee river with a good trip.

The John S. Hopkins arrived late from Evansville with a good trip.

The Sunshine is due up from Memphis tomorrow en route to Cincinnati.

The Dick Fowler departed this morning on time for Cairo with a good trip.

The Kentucky has been taken off the docks and has gone up the river to the large fleet.

The Charleston's shaft is in the foundry and will have been repaired within a few days.

The rise out of the Allegheny will keep the upper Ohio at a good boating stage until next month.

The Thomas Parker passed out of the Tennessee river this morning with ties and is at Joppe unloading.

The Inverness arrived last night from Tennessee river and left this morning on her return trip for ties.

The City of Memphis arrived out of Tennessee river with a good trip this morning at 7 o'clock and departed shortly after for St. Louis.

The Memphis steamer Delta, in command of Captain Nolan, arrived this morning and is moored at the marine ways where she will be pulled out and overhauled.

One of the fastest stern wheel passenger packets of her day was named Sam Snowdon. It is said that she never was "let out" to see how fast

she really was because no two pilots could hold her in the river to keep her from running up the bank and climbing a tree.

Friends here regretted to learn of the death of Pilot William Burton in Livingston county yesterday. He lived on Tennessee street, the city, but became ill about a week ago and was taken off the boat at Smithland. He was fifty years old, and leaves, besides the widow, three daughters and two sons.

The copious rains of the past week have made quite a satisfactory stage of water in the Ohio river, and another large run of coal will come down in consequence. There is loaded in Pittsburg harbor probably 5,000,000 or 6,000,000 bushels of coal, and it is expected that practically all of this will come out on the water that is now in sight.

The O'Neil has forty seven boats and barges of coal and one barge of steel goods. The Boaz has thirty-nine boats and barges of coal and the Raymond Horner has forty boats and barges of coal. The J. B. Williams, when she passed Memphis, had thirty-four loaded coalboats, carrying 26,000 bushels each, nine barges of 15,000 bushels, also two barges of steel rails; in all nearly 1,150,000 bushels of coal.

The New Orleans Picayune says: "Captain Wes Whitlow of Louisville has returned to the city after several months' sojourn at Ocean Springs, Miss., to be in readiness to handle a number of barges loaded with railroad iron en route from Pittsburg, which he has contracted to discharge. Captain Whitlow was seriously ill a short time back, but he now seems to be enjoying the best of health and says he is feeling like a new man."

FORTY HOUSES BURNED

BIG FIRE SWEEPS THROUGH THE TOWN OF BROOKSIDE, ALA.

Birmingham, Ala., July 24—Fire started from a defective line in the residence of J. F. Smith at Brookside, a mining town fourteen miles west of here, and within three hours forty frame houses had been reduced to ashes. The total loss is estimated at \$40,000, with about \$10,000 insurance.

FUNERAL OF MRS. VAUGHAN.

The funeral of the late Mrs. S. O. Vaughan took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the family residence, Fifth and Harrison streets, Rev. W. H. Pinkerton, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating. There was a large crowd present and the following acted as pall bearers: Major J. H. Ashcraft, J. Henry Smith, J. K. Bondurant, George C. Wallace, M. B. Nash, Sr., J. E. Williamson, Sr., T. J. Atkins and W. M. Reed.

THE HOSE.

IT WILL BE GUARANTEED FOR FOUR YEARS, IT IS UNDERSTOOD.

Chairman Hummel, of the fire committee, will open bids for fire hose at the city hall tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and quite a number of representatives of fire hose companies are expected to make prices.

The city has just purchased 1,000 feet, but the committee will not make public the price paid. The hose, Chairman Hummel stated, is guaranteed for four years.

One merchant who has been handling hose said today that he is disgusted with the companies. He said he felt like the Dutchman who met a man and said: "Shou, do you know my wife?"

"No," said John, "Vv?"

"Veli," was the rejoinder, "she was von h— of a set!"

KING ABLE TO WALK.

WILL SOON HOLD AN IMPORTANT CABINET COUNCIL.

London, July 24—The weather is less disagreeable at Cowes, Isle of Wight, and the reports from the royal yacht Victoria and Albert continue to chronicle King Edward's improvement. It is said that he walked a few steps yesterday.

The king will hold his first council since A. J. Balfour became premier on board the yacht shortly. It is expected that the name of the new lord lieutenant of Ireland, to succeed Earl Cadogan, whose resignation was made public July 17, will then be announced.

MEETING DEFERRED.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES. WAITING ON CITY ENGINEER WASHINGTON.

The board of public library trustees was to have met last night and signed the building contract with Contractor B. T. Davis, but it was decided, on account of the shortage in property discovered by the engineer that the board wait until it is rectified.

Trustee James M. Lang has received a check for the first money, \$5,000, and some of the material is now on the ground, a large quantity of rock having been hauled there.

GUN CLUB

ANOTHER CLUB HOUSE ASSESSMENT HAS BEEN ORDERED MADE.

The Paducah Gun club held a meeting last night at Bronaugh's store and voted another assessment of a dollar for each member to complete the club house. This is effective next week, the first assessment having been made two weeks ago.

The contractors are at work now on the grounds and it is expected to have the building completed in a short time.

REASSURING.

They were tossing about on the wild and restless ocean in a small open boat, at least a hundred feet from the beach. He was struggling manfully to battle with the surging waves and to pull for the shore; she was sitting in a heap in the stern of the frail bark, holding on like grim death, and mentally vowing that she would never again be tempted by her lover's daring spirit to venture so far from land.

"I know we shall go over. Oh, George, try and manage it!"

"I will. I could get along splendidly if the waves didn't make it go all ways at once. Don't be afraid, Sarah. We're getting nearer, ain't we?"

"A little. Oh, George, what shall we do if the boat is lost?"

"Don't worry yourself about that, my dear," said George soothingly. "You mustn't upset yourself about other people's business. It isn't our boat."

And he continued his fight with the cruel, remorseless waves.

Miss Fannie Carney has gone to New Albany, Ind., on a visit.

JUST ONE WORD

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Troubled with indigestion?
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Virtigo?
Bilious?
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ANY of these symptoms and many others indicate inaction of the LIVER.

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A RAILROAD EPOCH.

The beginning of the second half of 1902 sees the railroads of the United States cross the 200,000 mile line. Construction during the past six months was not especially active, though it was larger than last year's corresponding time, but the total which had been reached by the end of 1901 was so near the 200,000 mile mark that that line was certain to be passed long before 1902 neared its close. It is only by comparing this mileage with that of some of the rest of the great countries that the American people can fully realize the tremendous development which has taken place in this field in their own land. Figures of railroad activities for the world at large are not very trustworthy, but taking those which are most recent and reliable, the United States is seen to be far ahead of any other country. Germany has about 32,000 miles of main track; Russia, 29,000; France, 27,000; Austria-Hungary, 23,000; Great Britain and Ireland, 22,000, while no other European country has as many as 10,000 miles. All of Europe has about 175,000 miles of road, or considerably less than the United States, while the entire world's mileage is approximately 500,000, of which the United States furnishes two-fifths.

All this railroad construction has come in about two generations of time. When John Stevens in 1822 got a charter from the Pennsylvania legislature to build a railroad from Philadelphia to Columbia on the Susquehanna (which was never built) somebody asked one of the Pennsylvania papers, "What is a railroad, anyhow?" The editor gave it up, but said that "perhaps some other correspondent can tell." It is only seventy-four years on the Fourth of July since work was started on the construction of the first of America's great roads; it is only fifty-one years since the waters of the west at Lake Erie were first reached by through rail from the Atlantic coast, and as recently as Appomattox there were only 32,000 miles of main track in the whole country, as compared with 200,000 miles now.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A DRASTIC REMEDY.

Visitor—What are the masons doing, Mrs. O'Brien?

Mrs. O'Brien—They're pulling up every bit of me floor, and putting it down again the other side up.

Visitor—But was it necessary to have it done now, and Michael so ill in bed?

Mrs. O'Brien—Sure, marm, the doctor told me yesterday that I was to have no stone unturned if I wanted the poor man to get better again; but, on me soul, I can't see any improvement in him yet at all.

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

Labor troubles at Chicago having been adjusted, restrictions regarding the handling of all classes of freight to and from Chicago have been removed. Freight can now be received as usual.

J. T. DONOVAN.
Agent I. C. R. R.

A Satisfying Verdict.

After a Kentucky lynching the coroner's jury was selected by the gentlemen who conducted the affair, and a verdict was promptly returned showing that the deceased had been strangled by unknown persons. By this process the incident is immediately closed, and there is no annoying litigation.

AT THIS SEASON

Of the year we offer many stocks at greatly reduced prices in order to move them out before Fall Goods come in.

Coat Suits and Skirts.

All of our fine \$10 suits, made of nice quality cheviot in brown and gray; Eton coat well lined with rosin lining and stylishly trimmed with satin bands, skirt cut with flounce and trimmed with bands; well lined and tailor finished, for only \$6.67.

Swell Gibson suits made of fine canvas cloth, in tan and castor; skirt with percaline drop lining and coat taffeta lined; trimmed with stitched bands. These suits offered at cost.

Swell \$10 cheviot dress skirts, handsomely trimmed with moire bands and made with full sweep, for \$8.50.

Underwear.

You will be surprised when you see the nice garments that can be purchased for so little money at our underwear counter. It is to your interest to see these bargains.

Corset Covers made up in good styles and nice material, and trimmed, for 25c and 50c. Corset covers made of long cloth and beautifully trimmed, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Drawers—Fine cambric drawers with tucks and wide ruffles of embroidery, only 50c. Long cloth drawers elaborately trimmed with lace or embroidery, 75c and \$1.

Waists.

Beautiful White Waists Cheap—\$1.00 linen waists with embroidery and tucks, 75c. \$1.25 and \$1.50 very sheer white batiste waists, tucked and embroidered, \$1. \$1.75 waists, beautifully tucked, back closing with fancy pearl buttons and embroidery front, for \$1.25.

Matting Specials.

25 pieces extra fancy China matting, worth 25c per yard, at 18c. 20 pieces fine Japanese cotton chain matting, fine carpet patterns, at 20c. 15 pieces finest China matting, very closely woven, 30c.

To Close Out 10 pieces grass twine matting, the best wearing floor covering ever produced for the money, the regular price of these goods is 40c. We will sell them as long as they last at 29c.

In Our Shoe Department.

While we are not making much money we are having lots of fun wrapping up shoes for pleased customers.

Boys' Oxfords and Canvas Shoes Must Go.

Every boy in town will want a pair of Oxfords or Canvas Shoes this summer. Our line of these shoes is comfortable in every way, and every shoe has a price attached that will please the parent. Canvas shoes made to stand the racket of the summer vacation. Bring in the boys, and get them shoes that will be a source of great comfort to them all summer.

50c buys boys' rubber or leather bottom shoe.

\$1.00 buys boys' canvas shoe, solid.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 buys mau's canvas shoe.

50c, 75c and \$1.00. See what these prices purchase in children's and misses slippers.

65c buys woman's strap or oxford tie.

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THURSDAY, JULY, 24, 1903.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Friday.

The Graves county delegation seems to have learned a thing or two at the convention.

Again the question arises, who is chairman of McOracken county? It is likely that Emery will continue to be recognized, because he can deliver the goods.

A Louisville man has been sued by the water company for purloining water. This is a reflection on the honored traditions of Kentucky. The water will have to be considerably clarified in Paducah, however, before anyone is hauled before the courts on such a charge.

Senator Foraker of Ohio says that Roosevelt is the only man seriously thought of among Republicans for president in 1904. He declares: "Roosevelt is the only man who is seriously thought of by the great masses of the people. There are a few flickering flames that some ambitious partisans are trying to fan into a blaze, but they cannot make them burn steadily, and they will all go out in due time, extinguished by the fire damp of American politics."

The dose of peanut politics the Democrats of McOracken county have had to swallow during the past week has not had the effect of producing a very soothing effect. Instead it has made them very sick, and a great many knives have been unsheathed for use on each other when the time comes. If the Robbins crowd had not run over the others in this county at the mass

The daily paper had problems of this kind, but it is laboring to live them down. Each day must bear its own news and earn its revenues. There can be no idle days, no suspension, no interruption of the current. The manager who looks to a long dull period in any business, who accepts it as a foregone conclusion, should read just himself to prevailing conditions or give place to some abler man.

Most failures in business are due to "a tired feeling." The business man cannot afford to get tired. He must labor incessantly to alter adverse conditions. He must strive and strive incessantly to create traffic, whether he is managing a newspaper, a novelty factory, a department store or railroad.

convention last Saturday, the results of the convention might have been entirely different.

The big railroads at Chicago have taken steps to establish labor boards, whose duty it will be to treat with boards to represent the various labor unions with which the roads frequently have trouble. The plan is to have all grievances adjusted by the two boards, thus saving time and expense to both the roads and the employees. The intention is to have the boards made permanent. It seems that this is a practicable as well as equitable way of settling the differences that so often arise and cause so much trouble, often resulting in costly strikes.

It appears that the gentle art of assassination is not confined to the Republicans in the distant counties of Kentucky. The Hargis and Cockrell feud has broken out again, and they are all Democrats. A few days ago the merchant at Jackson, Ky., was shot from the court house, and died a short time afterwards. It is said that the only reason this man was brutally murdered in cold blood was in order to get him out of the way so his brother, Tom Cockrell, in jail for killing Ben Hargis, a member of the other faction, will have no one to help him get justice when the Democratic judge, Allie W. Young, appointed by Beckham to hold a special term of the Breathitt circuit court August 11th, and a cousin of the Hargis faction, tries Tom Cockrell for the murder. The letter is said to be left by the death of his brother without any one to assist him, being entirely at the mercies of his enemies, who are in control of the political machinery of the county, and will have one of their number try him for his life.

A member of the street committee, when asked why the brick street contractor had not been forced to repair the sidewalks where the concrete sections have broken and risen several inches, said that the matter had been referred to the city attorney, who would take steps to force the contractor to comply with his contract. That street and those sidewalks were paid for by the people, some by the public and some by the individual property owners. The contractors got all that was coming to them, and gave the people a hum job for their money. Now, instead of complying with the contract and repairing the sidewalks where they have become public nuisances, and daily a menace to the safety of the people, the contractor has to be forced. He is now a public officer, and is drawing a good salary that is paid by the taxpayers. It is likely that the people are beginning to wonder what kind of men will be put in office next. They have a right to expect of public officers, who are being paid by the people, fairness and a compliance with contracts, especially those contracts with the people themselves.

STEALING BY SUBSTITUTION.

Under the above heading the New York Journal of the issue of the 19th inst., calls attention to a cartoon it has in the issue of the same date under the caption "Substitution," or "What's the Difference."

The cartoon shows two pictures, one a thief on the streets stealing money from a woman's pocket and the other a druggist substituting another article for one called for by a customer. Under the first picture is the footnote "This man, on the public street, steals money from a woman's pocket" and under the other picture, "This man, in the drug store, substituting an inferior article for that demanded, and falsely calling the article substituted 'just as good,' steals the woman's money by substitution."

In an editorial of the same date the Journal says:

"The cartoon on this page seeks to impress upon your mind the dishonesty of the man—drug store owner or other merchant—who practices substitution. This practice is growing among a numerous, although not reputable, class of merchants."

The process of substitution is a swindling process pure and simple, and every purchaser should remember that fact.

The merchant who palms off inferior goods, calling them "just as good," is guilty of double dishonesty. In the first place, he swindles the manufacturer whose energy helps build up the retailer's business.

In the second place—and this is the more serious offense—the man who substitutes swindles the public, and often swindles dangerously.

Recently one of the biggest drug houses in America was detected in mean substitution. A doctor's prescription had called for a certain expensive drug. The merchant—without even getting the purchaser's consent—substituted an inferior, cheaper drug in place of that called for. The doctor declared that this small place of dishonesty might have resulted fatally under certain conditions. We do not publish here the name of the guilty man, although it has been published in various trade journals. We do not desire to select any one man as a victim where so many are guilty.

"It is the duty of the public to protect itself against this form of swindling."

"You should bear in mind two facts in regard to the substitution."

"First, he considers you more or less of a fool—otherwise he would not tell you that you don't know what you want."

"Second, he means to make a little more money out of you by imposing on your credulity."

"When you find a druggist or other man engaged in substitution you may be sure that he is a man not very particular as to his ways of getting money. And you may be sure that you will be dealt with more honestly elsewhere."

"If the public will consider and talk over these facts earnestly, substitution will soon cease to be profitable, and therefore it will cease to exist."

WANTED TO ATTEND PICNIC

BECAUSE REFUSED PERMISSION
A UNION CITY BOY TRIES
SUIOCIDE.

Union City, July 24—Because his mother refused to let him attend a picnic near town this afternoon, Penie Richards, about 13 years of age, son of Dr. W. P. Richards, attempted self-destruction by swallowing a quantity of belladonna. Physicians have been working with him for several hours and say that it will be at least 24 hours before he is out of danger. He is still unconscious.

HE OBEYED HIS WIFE.

AND HIS SECOND CHOICE WAS
THE WOMAN SHE TOLD
HIM TO MARRY.

Frankfort, Ky., July 24.—Mr. A. A. Bailey of Bagdad, Shelby county, a prosperous merchant, and Miss Nettie Robinson of this city were married in Cincinnati last evening. Mr. Bailey was a widower. Miss Robinson and the first wife of the groom were close friends during her life, and on her deathbed she requested him to marry again and to take Miss Robinson for a wife.

There is nothing like getting up early in the morning to teach one the beauty of sleeping late.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

A Conference at Bardwell Begins
Next Tuesday.

Rev. G. W. Briggs of Paducah Is on
the Program for the Meeting.

The Epworth League part of the Paducah District conference will be held beginning Tuesday at Bardwell and a large attendance is expected.

The conference will begin at 3:30 in the afternoon. The following are the principal subjects and the ministers who will discuss them.

"Chief ends to be accomplished in league work," J. O. Speight, R. W. Newson and G. W. Briggs, the latter of Paducah.

"Pastor's place and work," W. A. Diggs, O. A. Coleman and R. E. Brasfield.

"What do the young people propose to do with the league," Miss Eleanor Wright, Mayfield; J. M. Jenkins.

"League in missions," Miss Viola B. Coleman.

The opening sermon will be preached Tuesday night at 8:30 by Rev. W. D. Pickings and the District conference will follow in two days. Bishop E. E. Ross is expected to preside.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS

MR. DEMPSEY HERE TODAY
MAKING AN INVESTIGATION.

J. Fletcher Dempsey, one of the railroad commissioners, is in the city looking over the I. O. property here.

He came down to attend the convention and at the solicitation of the mayor remained over long enough to make an investigation. The mayor during a recent trip to Frankfort investigated the I. O. property assessment and found that in the year 1901 they gave in 2.97 mileage and this year 3.28. A further examination did not show that they had ever given in the river front property here and this is what Mr. Dempsey is looking up. He will make a report today probably.

GRAND LARCENY.

NEGRO CHARGED WITH STEALING \$20 AT A DRUG STORE.

Allie Jackson, colored, was arrested this morning by Officers Tom Orr and Tobe Etter on the charge of grand larceny.

It is alleged that he took \$20, one ten dollar bill and two five dollar bills from the cash drawer of the Yeiser and McElrath drug store on South Third street. Mr. Joe Yeiser, one of the firm, had just placed the money in the cash drawer while the negro, who was employed to do odd jobs about the store, was sealed in the rear of the building. Mr. Yeiser was called to the front of the store and then out on the pavement and when he returned Jackson was emerging from behind the counter. He was asked what he had been doing behind the show case and he made some trivial excuse and left the store. The money was soon missed and the warrant issued.

CINCINNATI TO NEW YORK IN 17 1/4 HOURS.

The Pennsylvania special—the new train over the Pennsylvania Short line—runs on that schedule leaving Cincinnati 2:45 p. m. daily. For reservations and information, apply to C. H. Hagerty, D. P. Agt., Louisville, Ky.

Children are pearls in a crown that also has thorns in it.

ASK FOR 160,000 DAMAGES

(Continued From First Page.)

Brookport, then Brooklyn. It was operated by his heirs until 1899, when Captain James Owen became sole owner.

The petition of Captain James Owen now sole owner of the franchise, ends by claiming that by infringement on the above exclusive franchise, and the continual operation of the company's transfer boat, he is continuously and repeatedly suffering loss and damage and to prevent a multiplicity of action for this damage, he asks the court to enjoin the railroad company from longer operating its transfer boat, to grant a temporary injunction, and to make this injunction permanent upon final hearing of the case. The court will doubtless act on the temporary injunction matter late this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

The transfer boat, it is understood, operates under a government license as a ferryboat. The Messrs. Owen, through their attorneys, have been preparing for this big suit for quite awhile, and have made trips to both Frankfort, Ky., and Springfield, Ill., to secure copies of records, etc. The suits are unique, and the outcome will be watched with more than ordinary interest. The Illinois Central will naturally make a hard fight, for it has a great deal at stake, not only in money, but in the matter of operating its transfer boat between Paducah and Brookport. It is supposed it will base its defense on its government grant to operate a ferryboat.

HOBSON'S LATEST.

WHILE STROLLING WITH MISS STEVENSON RESTORES LOST BIRD TO ITS NEST.

Bloomington, Ill., July 24—All Bloomington is talking about the latest exploit of Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, the hero of the Merrimac. Due to the frequent visits of the naval officer to Bloomington as the guest of Adlai E. Stevenson, the gossip has been hinting that the charming daughter of Mr. Stevenson, Miss Letitia, was the great attraction. Rumors of an engagement have been rife for some time.

An incident which occurred yesterday added interest to the numerous calls at the Stevenson homestead. Captain Hobson and Miss Stevenson were strolling through the fashionable residence district of the city, when they came across a party of children mourning the plight of a young robin which had fallen from a nest in a maple tree. Captain Hobson sized up the situation immediately and decided that he would play the role of rescuer. He called for a small basket, and, placing the bird therein, swung the basket over his arm and then clambered up the tree with the ease and dexterity of the veteran sailor. Then the walk was resumed. Despite the efforts of the officer to repress the incident it soon became public gossip and interest in the visits of Captain Hobson has increased. Rumors of an understanding between the officer and Miss Stevenson are denied by the parents of the young woman, but the gossip is predicting a wedding by fall.

Within six months it is said that Captain Hobson has paid fully a dozen visits to Bloomington and the number of calls, and in some instances, the length of the visits, lend strength to the belief that the engagement of the couple will be announced soon.

When man talks to woman he may chide her, and when he talks to man he may cherish her, but when he whispers to his God he blesses her.

MR TURNER'S WILL

He Leaves Everything to His Mother and Son.

His Wife Has a Large Estate of Her Own.

The will of the late Oscar Turner, formerly of Ballard, was admitted to probate yesterday at Louisville, and is as follows:

I, Oscar Turner, of Jefferson county, Ky., now make this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills heretofore made by me.

I appoint my mother executrix of this will, and, if she should be dead, then I appoint my wife, and I desire that neither of them shall be required to give any bond or return any list or inventory of my estate. I desire my executrix to pay all my just debts, if I have any.

After settling up my estate, which will take but a very short time, and paying to my friend, A. T. Burgevin, the sum of one thousand dollars as a little token of my friendship, I desire that my executrix turn over to the Fidelity Trust company, of Louisville, all my estate, real, personal and mixed, not herein otherwise specifically bequeathed, to be held in trust by said company for the following purposes:

I desire said trust company to pay to Jesse James, a negro boy, the sum of ten dollars per month during his natural life.

I desire said company to pay to my mother, whom I worship, three thousand dollars per year during the remainder of her life, payable at such times as she may desire. After my mother's death I desire said company to pay to the guardian of my children, if there shall be any of them living, all the net income from my estate until my youngest child shall be 22 years old, at which time said company shall distribute equally among my children then living all the remainder of my estate and said trust shall cease.

If I should have no children living at my mother's death, or if they should die before arriving, at 22, of course my estate will go according to the law of Kentucky.

I ask that my wife qualify as guardian of my child or children.

This will, written in my own hand, is made this 16th day of June, 1902.

OSCAR TURNER.

As Mr. Turner leaves only one child, a son, it will inherit the estate in the end, should it live to be 22 years of age.

Mr. Burgevin, who gets a bequest of \$1,000, was secretary to Mr. Turner when he was congressman.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

It is a smart woman who, after her husband has been fooling with the plumbing, goes and gets a plumber to fix it in secret, and then brags before him about how clever he is at such things.

It is just like a woman to be mad with her husband for wanting to smoke in the room with lace curtains, and yet to be proud of him for being able to do what it would nearly kill her to try.

When a man is down town he brags about his daughter who is taking college honors; when he goes home, tired and discouraged, it is to one who only knows enough to run a house that he wants to come and put her arms around his neck.—New York Press.

Mrs. Jack Conison and Mrs. Ed Thurnman has returned from St. Louis.

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Beit has plenty hickory wood at 1230 South Third Street. Mail orders.

—The railroad picnic has been postponed until August 6th.

Brick and Swiss cheese at Jake Biederman Gro. Co's.

—The Pavonia went up the Tennessee river yesterday for ties.

Brick and Swiss cheese just received at Jake Biederman Gro. Co.

—The Elks will hold their regular meeting this evening at Elks hall.

—Georgia Grundy, colored, died at his home on Court street, between Ninth and Tenth.

Watch Jake Biederman Gro. Co's cent price sale for Saturday.

—Rev. Dr. Reed of Burke's Chapel will preach at the camp meeting in Mechanicsburg tonight.

—The work of laying the drain pipe in Oak Grove has begun, and will require about three weeks.

—Born, to the wife of Mr. Hugh George of Jackson street, this morning, a 10-pound baby girl.

—Anthony Armstrong, colored, died yesterday of old age at his home at Eighth and Ohio streets.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. Rehkopf, in a quiet way, yesterday celebrated the forty-first anniversary of their marriage.

—Don't forget the Big Moonlight tonight at the coal tipples track. Good music and plenty of refreshments for all.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Corbett are parents of a fine boy, born night before last. Mrs. Corbett is in Frankfort, but Mr. Corbett recently went to Eddyville to accept a position in the prison there.

—The Ladies' Mite society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Mary O'Neil, at the residence of Mr. Chas. M. Leake, South Fifth street, between Adams and Jackson.

THE SICK.

Mr. Hiram Smalley, who has been very ill of typhoid fever for the past several weeks, is fast recovering, and will be out in a day or two. His many friends will be pleased to learn of his recovery.

Mrs. Fred Gray of West Jackson street is worse today. She is suffering from inflammatory rheumatism.

Officer Tom Orr, who has been ill for the past three days, is out and on duty again.

Mrs. Mike Caldwell is ill at her home on West Jefferson street.

Mr. James Thompson is better, and is now able to sit up.

ATTENTION WOODMEN.

Officers and members of Olive and Jersey camps, W. of W., and W. O. are requested to meet at the hall of Olive camp at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon to attend the funeral of Sov. Wm. Burton. J. B. Flash, C. O. O. W. Emery, clerk.

NOTHING FROM BYRNES.

Actor Byrnes has not yet showed up since he disappeared at La Belle park night before last. It is reported that he has been seen since yesterday morning, but he has failed to come about any of his friends. Some think he may be off enjoying a quiet spree.

EVERYBODY IS GOING.

The handsome steamer Dick Fowler will run an excursion from Paducah to Cairo Sunday, leaving at 9 o'clock, with only 75 cents for the round trip. Everybody should take advantage of this opportunity.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

"A Practical Joke" is the bill at La Belle park theater tonight. This play has been previously presented by the park company, but at the time the weather was very inclement and attendance quite small. However the piece scored a big hit, and pleased those who attended so well that it has been considered wise to produce it again. New specialties will be introduced and there will be an orchestra concert preceding the performance.

GOT DAMAGES.

ONE CASE DROIDED IN JUDGE LIGHTFOOT'S COURT.

There were no trials of condemnation suits today in county court but tomorrow the Lizzie Liebel suit will be taken up. In the Exam. Fattrell case he was awarded \$1,800 damages to his ground and this concluded the cases up to date. The cases are set two each day allowing several days interval between cases.

RAILROAD RIGHT OF WAY DEEDS.

J. A. Dickerson and others, to Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans railroad company, for \$40, property in the county.

Renben Burrow and others, to C. St. L. and N. O. railroad company, for \$75, property in the county.

Mrs. Augustine Menard and others, for \$1,750, property in the county.

E. T. Stone and wife, to Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans railroad company, for \$500, property in the county.

J. W. Hobbs and others, to Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans railroad company, for \$540, property in the county.

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BANKRUPTCY PETITION.

A. S. Richardson, of the city, a railroad engineer, filed a petition in bankruptcy this afternoon with no assets. He gives a long list of creditors in Paducah, Water Valley, Miss., Jackson, Tenn., and Canton, Miss., but has not the amount owing to each set down in the petition.

ALDERMEN MEET.

The board of aldermen will meet this evening at the city hall in regular session, with a large amount of routine business to come up. Among it will be the steam heating franchise ordinance.

MR. BURTON'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Pilot Burton will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, burial under the auspices of the Woodmen of the World.

Mr. J. R. Ooburn, the freight conductor, is now running the I. O. Fulton and Louisville accommodation train, and came through this morning on his first trip.

Something Fine

STUTZ'S
Claret Phosphate,
Orangeade,
The Best Summer Drinks

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About People And Social Notes.

Mr. J. L. Kilgore has gone to St. Louis.

Mr. Lon Skinner went to Princeton this morning.

Mr. Dave Desberger has returned from St. Louis.

Mrs. Mary O. Leigh went to Dawson today at noon.

Mrs. Charles Kiger is visiting friends in Golconda.

Mrs. J. E. Art of Caseyville is a guest of Mrs. O. O. Rose.

Miss Zilpah Walker leaves Sunday for Murray on a visit to friends.

Mrs. T. T. Wilhoite went to Owensboro today at noon to visit.

Miss Vennie Edwards leaves Saturday for Rutherford, Tenn., on a visit.

Miss Mary McDonald of Mayfield arrived in the city this morning to visit.

Mr. Sam Dreyfuss left at noon today for Dawson and Louisville on a visit.

Mrs. W. W. Powell and daughter went to Crittenden Springs today at noon.

Inspectors Kile and Susong of the postoffice department were in the city today.

Mr. Frank Ferriman came in from a short southern drumming trip today at noon.

Miss Bernice Miller has returned from a visit to Miss Mayme Stanley of Creal.

Mr. William J. Laffey, the I. O. special agent, was in the city today on business.

Misses Garnett and Enna Richardson left noon for Hopkinsville, Ky., on a visit.

Captain Douglas Jones, of the I. N. Hook, is visiting his family at Mt. Vernon, Ind.

Miss Laura Sanders will leave today for Smithland and Echo Springs, on a month's visit.

Mrs. Frank Rieke left yesterday to visit Mrs. Frank Boyd at her father's home in Golconda.

Presiding Elder H. B. Johnston went to Murray this morning to attend a conference.

Mr. P. D. Fitzpatrick of the I. O. was in the city today. He returned to Louisville at noon.

Justice R. J. Barber went to Princeton on business this morning, and will return tonight.

Miss Nell Barry went to Olarksville, Tenn., today at noon to attend the house party of Mr. Frank Fiedlerling.

Mrs. Mary Watkins and daughter of Dyersburg, Tenn., are guests of Mrs. W. H. Hayes at Seventh and Broadway.

Mr. S. H. Winstead, wife and son Sam, went to Buffalo, Boston, New York and other eastern cities today at noon.

Miss Mary Bringham of Washington, D. O., will arrive this afternoon from Eddyville to visit Miss Julia Scott.

Mrs. A. J. Morrison and children of St. Louis have gone to Pryor, Tenn., after a visit to Mr. O. W. Morrison and family.

Dr. J. R. M. Dillon will leave in a day or two for Asheville, N. O., to spend the remainder of the summer. He goes on account of bad health.

Mr. A. R. Grant of Swift and Co., Chicago, is here and will handle Mr. W. S. Rand's territory for the firm during the latter's absence. Mr. Rand will immediately leave on a two weeks' vacation for the East.

SOCIAL NOTES.

The Misses Rieke entertained at fresco last evening in honor of their sister, Mrs. Charles Trueheart of Louisville. It was a very delightful affair. A number of guests were present.

The society young men will give a dance at La Belle park pavilion this evening. It will be quite a pleasant occasion.

APPEAL INDORSED

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF
LABOR ESPOUSES THE CAUSE
OF THE STRIKING MINE
WORKERS.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 24.—The total donations received today by the United Mine Workers' officials was \$58,000. Word was received at headquarters from President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor that the executive council of that organization, which is in session at San Francisco, has indorsed the appeal of the mine workers for financial aid. This will have the effect of bringing in additional contributions, it is thought. The check of the Illinois miners for \$50,000 was forwarded today to the anthracite fields.

LINED UP AND SHOT.

THIRTY YAQUIS SHOWN NO
MEROY BY THE MEXICANS.

Tucson, Ariz., July 24.—S. N. Jacks, a merchant of Fort Worth, Tex., returning from the Yaqui river country, reports having seen thirty Yaqui Indians lined up and shot Saturday at a small town called Torrion, in Sonora. The Indians had been captured in the mountains the day before. A number of them were mere boys.

MEXICAN CENTRAL HOLD UP

TWO MEN, SUPPOSED TO BE
AMERICANS, SECURED
LARGE AMOUNT.

Eagle Pass, Tex., July 24.—The Mexican Central passenger train was robbed near Bermejo last night by two men supposed to be Americans. The robbers escaped. Fifty-three thousand dollars is said to have been taken from the Wells-Fargo express car.

Mr. Joseph Pariso of the Fidelity Mutual Insurance company, Philadelphia, is in the city on business.

Dr. P. H. Stewart has returned from Louisville, where he took his wife, who was ill, but is much improved.

SUMMER ADVICE.

BY ONE WHO KNOWS.

Keep cool in hot weather.
"How?"
By eating Grape Nuts every day.
"Kats!"

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WANTED—Position as cook in small family. 523 N. Twelfth. It

—The Sun will not receive any "Want" or "Local" advertisements except for cash with the order. We are compelled to adopt this rule from the fact that it costs no more in collector's time than we get for the advertisement. This rule will be strictly adhered to, and we trust no one will ask for credit, as we shall be compelled to refuse them.

Respectfully,
The Sun Publishing Co.

REVOLTING CHARGE

Continued from First page.

Justice Jack Sheehan, a particular friend of Keeper Padgett, called at the Sun office this afternoon and said that he was going to try Padgett tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, and that Padgett gave himself up to him, Sheehan. He said that he had issued no warrant against him, but that he committed him to jail in the sum of \$300 until tomorrow morning.

County Judge Lightfoot was telephoned in regard to the matter and stated that Padgett was in jail on his warrant, charged with an offense not bailable, and that the prisoner will be tried before him, Judge Lightfoot, tomorrow morning at the county court house at 9 o'clock.

METHODIST'S GREAT HALL

ROYAL AQUARIUM THEATRE
PROPERTY SECURED AS
THE SITE FOR A
GRAND BUILDING.

London, July 26.—Robert William Perks, member of parliament, treasurer of the Methodist million ginneas fund, announced today that the Methodists had secured the Royal Aquarium theatre property, facing Westminster Abbey, on which they would build a great hall, which is to be called the "Central Headquarters of Universal Methodism." The price paid was 330,000 pounds. The ground comprises two and one-half acres, and on it also stands Mrs. Langtry's Imperial Theatre. It is probable that some arrangement will be made by which the Imperial Theatre will remain where it is, although it may be transformed into an annex of the church house, the building of which it is expected to commence early in 1903. Since it was opened in 1876 the aquarium has been a famous place of amusement for Londoners.

Miss Della Berryman will leave next week to visit relatives in St. Louis and Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Mr. S. Bryant arrived from a drumming trip today at noon.

When Farm Values Grow Hagety.
A farmer in Bon Homme county, South Dakota, is reported to have sold part of his farm for \$40 an acre. Seven years ago he bought the land for \$2 an acre. He has had one bad year and one indifferent year and five good years. He has made more than a good living, and now finds his land increased in value a thousand fold. This is the more remarkable because Bon Homme county has been considered more of a ranching than an agricultural county.

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President Palma's Career.
Tomas Estrada Palma, the new president of Cuba, is 65 years old. He is a native of Bayamo, Cuba, and is a lawyer and a planter. During the uprising of 1898 he was a member of the revolutionary congress and was elected president in 1895. Subsequently he was detained in Spanish castles. He visited the United States for a brief period and then went to Honduras, where he became postmaster-general. Returning to this country in 1892, he established an institute at Central Valley, Orange county, New York. Spain offered to restore his estates to him if he would swear allegiance, but he refused to take the oath. Upon the death of Jose Marti, Palma was elected by the Cuban revolutionary clubs as the head of the Cuban movement outside the island. While the Spanish war progressed he was the leading spirit of the Cuban junta.

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BEST EFFORTS OF THE POETS.

In Old Tennessee.

The old Tennessee brings back memories to me,
Where, in childhood, I played day by day.
'Round the old cabin home, so dear to me then.

But, alas! now so far, far away,
I've oft heard the mocking bird singing his lay.
While he perched on the cotton wood tree.

And old Master Bob White a-calling his mate—
'Twas away down in old Tennessee.

I know the best places, where blackberries grew,
And the wild flowers perfumed the air;
Also every note in the brown thrush's song.

And in spring, when the blue birds
I knew the best holes to fish in the brook,
By the rocks or some old fallen tree.

Where the trout used to dart at my bent pin hook—
'Twas away down in old Tennessee.

I remember the days we worked in the fields,
When a-heeling the cotton and corn,
The sweetest of music that came to our ears.

Was the sound of the old dinner horn.
To-day as I ponder o'er years that are gone,
And the friends that I'll never more see,

They've left me and passed to that far-away land.
While I long for the old Tennessee.
T. J. NICHOLL.

The Maddening Microscope.
The person with a microscope; he's always hanging 'round
And scaring everybody with his vision so profound.

If I had paid attention to the various things he said,
I'd surely be so frightened that I might as well be dead.

There isn't any limit to the deadly germs he'll spy
Whenever he takes his lenses out and winks the other eye.

I might face the jungle tiger and imagine
But this microscope terror truly has me on the run.

He writes about bacilli; who your tissues will explode,
Of the marching microbes millions who are searching for your gore;
He tells of the persistence of these ministers of death.

Till you nearly have a spasm every time you draw a breath
Heaven gets up pictures of the surreptitious germ.
Who is roily in existence to out short your earthly term;

And life is strangely bitter and devoid of any hope.
All owing to this croaker with his maddening microscope.
—Washington Star.

May Song.
The ardent woodbird seeks his mate
And tells his hopes in trembling song:
Dear love, my heart, no less elate,
Sings of you all day long!

The woodbird shapes his fragile nest
Among the branches, leafless yet.
Nor fears the maple will forget
To shelter well its guest.

I have no mansion grand for you;
My hands must rear the home we share:
With life so young, our nest so new,
And love to make it fair.

May we not trust that time will bring
The richer shelter—that the days
Will ever higher hopes upraise,
And still our hearts may sing?

The woodbird's faith is firm and high;
Joy wingeth ever by his side;
Sweetheart, with your dear presence nigh,
I fear not storm or tide.

The summer cometh to eclipse
With bloom and green the striving soil;
Your smile shall garnish all my toil
And heaven kiss my lips!

—Chicago Daily Record.

Nature's Lesson.
Is there a cloud in the azure sky
That forgets the mission it hath on high?
Not one.

Is there a star in the curtain of Night
That forgets to shine with a radiance bright?
Not one.

Is there a bud in field or bower
That forgets to blossom into a flower?
Not one.

The clouds, the stars and flowers bright,
In a beautiful language speak forth God's might;
While we, frail creatures of the dust,
Forget, alas, to be even just.

We stand empty-handed, while all around
There are lives to brighten, now sorrow bound.
There are deeds which our hands should gladly do,
That would cheer some heart, its journey through.

A kind word here, a good deed there,
Would scatter sweet blossoms everywhere.
—Anna T. Hackman, in Philadelphia Bulletin.

Overlooked.
Spring is a time, a poet said,
When all creation seems in tune,
When skies are smiling overhead
And sunlight glides each afternoon,
And gentle birds upon the tree
Delight to trill a canty lay,
And all is fair as fair can be,
Ab, this is what the poets say.

Spring is a time when microbes climb
About your timorous, trembling frame.
You cannot muse on the sublime,
Your head aches and you're going lame,
And there is mud upon the street
And snow upon the trusting spot
And frost and fog and slush and sleet—
These things the poet quits forgot.
—Washington Star.

From the Ship's Deck.
How deep is love, my heart?
As deep as this dark blue sea.
How wide is love, my life?
As wide as this world can be.
How high is love, my soul?
As high as the stars we see
That nightly watch both him and me.

Go tell my friend, ye waves,
Of your bottomless depths of love,
O worldwide space, thy message, too,
And a hint of love from the stars above
I would send him across the blue.
How long will such love last, my friend?
Till sea and stars and time shall end.
—Will N. Anderson, in N. Y. Independent.

CABINET MINISTERS COME HIGH.

Ex-Secretary Promoted by Advice of His Brother Lawyer.

A cabinet officer, who not very long ago retired to private life, started to build up anew his law practice. A corporation case was sent to him by a brother lawyer. Meeting that lawyer later, the ex-cabinet minister asked what he ought to charge.

"What did you think of charging?" asked his friend.

"Well," the reply was, "I thought a thousand dollars would be about right."

"My dear fellow," the other lawyer responded, "if you do that you will never get another case. Ex-cabinet ministers are a luxury. If they are worth anything, send a bill for \$5,000 retaining fee and you will get a check to-morrow. Then adjust your regular charges at your leisure."

The thing was done, with the result predicted. It is said that the gentleman in question made in a month as much as the sum of his salary during his entire official term.

HAD HIS LUNCHEON WITH A KING.

Pleasant Results of a Royal Fondness for Botany.

A more simple and homely king than the king of Sweden it is impossible to find.

M. Gaston Bonnier, the celebrated botanist, tells of how once, when he was botanizing near Stockholm, he met a stranger similarly occupied. The two botanists fraternized, and M. Bonnier suggested that they should lunch together at the inn.

"No; come home and lunch with me instead," said the stranger, leading the way toward the palace gates. M. Bonnier was naturally astonished, but his new acquaintance was most apologetic.

"I'm sorry," he said, "but I happen to be the king of this country, and this is the only place I've got to entertain anybody in."

So they went in and lunched, and talked botany together all the afternoon.—New York Times.

Outwitted the Physician.

An eminent physician of London, who was remarkable for continuing his visits to rich patients after he had turned their disorders out of doors, attended a lady of some celebrity in the world of wit for three months after her recovery and regularly stayed with her until, in the English manner, he received his dismaying fee of five guineas. Weary of his expensive calls and concluding that to lessen the fee would be to lose the visitor, she ventured to give him four guineas at the conclusion of his text call. He looked anxiously in his hand, then on the carpet and stood for some time in evident embarrassment. "Have you lost anything?" inquired the lady.

"Why, ma'am, I thought I had dropped a guinea." "It is only a mistake in the person, sir," rejoined the fair patient. "It is I who have dropped the guinea." The doctor, of course, dropped his visits.

Why Japanese Women Look Pleasant.

Perhaps the secret of the sweet expression and habitual serenity of the Japanese women can be found in their freedom from small worries. The fashion of dress never varying save the wear of mind on that subject, and the bareness of the houses and simplicity of diet makes housekeeping a mere bagatelle. Everything is equably clean, and easily kept so. There is no paint, no drapery, no crowd of little ornaments, no coming into the houses with the footworn worn in a dusty street. And then a feeling of living in rooms that can be turned into balconies and verandas at a moment's notice, of having walls that slide away as freely as do the scenes on the stage, and let in all out-of-doors or change the suites of rooms to the shape and size that the whim of the day or the hour requires.—Pearson's Weekly.

Barry the Fast.

The past of either a man or a woman is beyond recall, and cannot be canceled or erased. The future alone can either give to the other, and if the gift be a full and generous endowment there should be no question of the past, says the Pittsburgh Press.

In the social interchanges of life, it is well to guard against those who betray the confidences of others. If a man or woman betrays the confidence of others to you, it is reasonable to suppose that they will be equally lacking in honor where secrets you may confide are concerned.

Cumulative Devotion to Duty.

Though Congressman Amos Cummings has been an invalid all through the present session he has faithfully attended to his duties in the house besides doing an immense amount of correspondence. Finally his doctor peremptorily ordered him to bed, where he remained for about a week, and now he is rapidly recovering. At the same time, however, he kept at work to spite of all the doctor could say.

Healthy Old People

say the main thing to do is to keep the stomach, liver and bowels in order if you want to keep well and live long. Good physicians say the same thing, too. The remedy called

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSION BULLETIN

Chautauque Lake, N. Y.—July 25th, \$19.95 for the round trip, good returning until August 26th.

San Francisco, Cal.—K. of P. July 29 to August 10, round trip, \$50, good returning until September 30.

Denver, Colo., and Utah common points—One fare plus \$2, July 14th to 31st, returning October 31st.

Denver and Colorado common points—\$26.15 round trip, and July 1st to 13th, returning October 31st.

St. Paul and common points—\$21.65 round trip July 9th to 31st, good returning until October 31st.

Eddyville, Ky.—Camp meeting July 15 to 27, one fare limited to July 28.

Salt Lake City, Utah—Grand Lodge B. P. O. E. August 7, 8, 9 and 10, \$36.15 for round trip, limited to September 30.

Tacoma, Wash.—Young Peoples' Christian Union July 16 to 21, \$52.80 for round trip, limited to September 15.

Mont Eagle, Tenn.—Assembly Bible school, July 23, 24 and 25, one fare for the round trip, good returning until August 30.

Atlantic City, N. J., via B. and O. S. W. Ry., August 7, \$20 for the round trip, good for 12 days to return. Stop overs allowed at Philadelphia and Washington on the return trip.

Old Point Comfort, Va., via C. and O. Ry., August 19, \$17 for the round trip, good to return until September 9. Tickets good only on trains leaving Paducah at 11:35 a. m. August 18 and 1:25 a. m. August 19.

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THE GREATEST OF ALL TRIPS.

To Old Point Comfort and the Seashore, Aug. 19th.

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They had a talk with the sheriff, and then Fred, Lord Rallos and I were marched off by the official, his lordship demanding sight of a warrant and protesting against the illegality of his arrest, varied in moments by threats to appeal to the British consul, minister plenipotentiary, her majesty's foreign office, etc., all of which had about as much influence on the sheriff and his cowboy assistants as a Mogul Indian snake dance would have in stopping a runaway engine. I confess to feeling a certain grim satisfaction in the fact that if I was to be shot off from seeing Madge the Britisher was in the same box with me.

Ash Forks, though only 6 years old, had advanced far enough toward civilization to have a small jail, and into that we were shoved. Night was coming by the time we were lodged there, and, being in pretty good appetite, I struck the sheriff for some grub.

"I'll get you something," he said good naturedly, "but next time you shove people, Mr. Gordon, just quit shovin' your friends. My shoulder feels like—" Perhaps it's just as well not to say what his shoulder felt like. The western vocabulary is expressive, but at times not quite fit for publication.

The moment the sheriff was gone Fred wanted the mystery of the letters explained, and I told him all there was to tell, including as good a description of the pony as I could give him. We tried to hit on some plan to get word to those outside, but it wasn't to be done. At least it was a point gained that some one of our party besides myself knew where the letters were.

The sheriff returned presently with a loaf of canned bread and a tin of beans. If I had been alone, I should have kicked at the fool and got permission for my boys to send me up something from 97, but I thought I'd see how Lord Rallos would like genuine western fare, so I said nothing. That, I have to state, is more—or rather less—than the Britisher did after he had sampled the stuff, and really I don't blame him, much as I enjoyed his rage and disgust.

It didn't take long to finish our supper, and then Fred, who hadn't slept much the night before, stretched out on the floor and went to sleep. Lord Rallos and I sat on boxes—the only furniture the room contained—about as far apart as we could get, he in the sulks and I whistling cheerfully. I should have liked to be with Madge, but he wasn't, so there was some compensation, and I knew that time was playing the cards in our favor. So long as they hadn't found the letters we had only to sit still to win.

About an hour after supper the sheriff came back and told me Camp and Baldwin wanted to see me. I saw no reason to object, so in they came, accompanied by the judge. Baldwin opened the ball by saying:

"Well, Mr. Gordon, you've played a pretty cute game."

win wanted to see me. I saw no reason to object, so in they came, accompanied by the judge. Baldwin opened the ball by saying:

"Well, Mr. Gordon, you've played a pretty cute game, and I suppose you think you stand to win the pot."

"I'm not complaining," I said.

"Sit!" said Camp angrily, as if my contented manner fretted him, "our time will come presently, and we can make it pretty uncomfortable for you. Illegal proceedings put a man in jail in the long run."

"I hope you take your lesson to heart," I remarked cheerfully, which made Camp scowl worse than ever.

"Now," said Baldwin, who kept cool, "we know you are not risking loss of position and the state's prison for nothing, and we want to know what there is in it for you."

"That doesn't tell us what Cullen gives you to take the risk."

"Mr. Cullen hasn't given or even hinted that he'll give anything."

"And Mr. Gordon hasn't asked, and, if I know him, wouldn't take a cent for what he has done," said Fred, rising from the floor.

"You mean to say you are doing it for nothing?" exclaimed Camp, incredulously.

"That's about the truth of it," I said, though I thought of Madge as I said it and felt guilty in suggesting that she was nothing.

"Then what is your motive?" cried Baldwin.

If there had been any use, I should have replied, "The right," but I knew that they would only think I was posing if I said it. Instead I replied:

"Mr. Cullen's party has the stock majority in their favor and would have won a fair fight if you had played fair. Since you didn't, I'm doing my best to put things to rights."

Camp cried, "All the more fool!"—but Baldwin interrupted him by saying:

"That only shows what a mean cuss Cullen is. He ought to give you \$10,000 if he gives you a cent."

"Yes," cried Camp, "those letters are worth money, whether he's offered it or not."

"Mr. Cullen never so much as hinted paying me," said I.

"Well, Mr. Gordon," said Baldwin suavely, "we'll show you that we can be liberal. Though the letters rightfully belong to Mr. Camp, if you'll deliver them to us we'll see that you don't lose your place, and we'll give you \$5,000."

I glanced at Fred, whom I found looking at me anxiously, and asked him:

"Can't you do better than that?"

"We could with any one but you," said Fred.

I should have liked to shake hands over this compliment, but I only nodded, and, turning to Mr. Camp, said:

"You see how mean they are."

"You'll find we are not built that way," said Baldwin. "Five thousand isn't a bad day's work, eh?"

"No," I said, laughing, "but you just told me I ought to get \$10,000 if I got a cent."

"It's worth \$10,000 to Mr. Cullen, but—"

I interrupted by saying, "If it's worth \$10,000 to him, it's worth \$100,000 to me."

That was too much for Camp. First he said something best omitted, and then went on, "I told you it was waste time trying to win him over."

The three stood apart for a moment whispering, and then Judge Wilson called the sheriff over and they all went out together. The moment we were alone Frederic held out his hand and said:

"Gordon, it's no use saying anything, but if we can ever do—"

I merely shook hands, but I wanted the worst way to say:

"Tell Madge."

CHAPTER XIII.
A LESSON IN POLITENESS.

Within five minutes we had a big surprise, for the sheriff and Mr. Baldwin came back, and the former announced that Fred and Lord Rallos were free, having been released on bail. When we found that Camp had gone on the bond, I knew that there was a scheme of some sort in the move, and, taking Fred aside, I warned him against trying to recover the proxies.

"They probably think that one or the other of you knows where the letters are hidden," I whispered, "and they'll keep a watch on you, so go slow."

He nodded and followed the sheriff and Lord Rallos out.

The moment they were gone Mr. Baldwin said, "I came back to give you a last chance."

"That's very good of you," I said.

"I warn you," he said threateningly, "we are not men to be beaten. There are 50 cowboys of mine in this town who think you were concerned in the holding up. By merely tipping them the wink they'll have you out of this, and after they've got you outside I wouldn't give the toss of a nickel for your life. Now, then, will you hand over those letters or will you go to inside of ten minutes?"

to the door. "This is the last call," he said, pausing for a moment on the threshold.

"I hope so," said I, more calmly in manner than in feeling, I have to acknowledge, for I didn't like the look of things. That they were in earnest I felt pretty certain, for I understood now why they had let my companions out of jail. They didn't care to risk hanging more than was necessary.

A long time seemed to pass after they were gone, but in reality it wasn't more than 15 minutes before I heard some one steal up and softly unlock the door. I confess the evident endeavor to do it quietly gave me a scare, for it seemed to me it couldn't be an above board movement. Thinking this, I picked up the box on which I had been sitting and prepared to make the best fight I could. It was a good deal of relief, therefore, when the door opened just wide enough for a man to put in his head, and I heard the sheriff's voice say softly:

"If, Gordon!"

I was at the door in an instant and asked:

"What's up?"

"They're getting the boys together and sayin' that you shot a woman in the hold up."

"It's an infernal lie," I said.

"Sounds that way to me," said the sheriff, "but two-thirds of the boys are drunk, and it's a long time since they've had any fun."

"Well," I said, as calmly as I could, "are you going to stand by me?"

"I would, Mr. Gordon," he replied, "if there was any good, but there ain't time to get a posse, and what's one Winchester against a mob of cowboys like them?"

"If you'll lend me your gun," I said, "I'll show just what it is worth without troubling you."

"I'll do better than that," said the sheriff, "and that's what I'm here for. Just sneak while there's time."

"You mean"—I exclaimed.

"That's it. I'm going away, and I'll leave the door unlocked. If you get clear, let me know your address, and later, if I want you, I'll send you word." He took a grip on my fingers that numbed them as if they had been caught in an airbrake and disappeared.

I slipped out after the sheriff without loss of time. That there wasn't much to spare was shown by a crowd with some torches down the street, collected in front of a saloon. They were making a good deal of noise, even for the west. Evidently the flame was being fanned. Not wasting time, I struck for the railroad, because I knew the geography of that best, but still more because I want-



I dropped down on my hands and knees, ed to get to the station. It was a big risk to go there, but it was one I was willing to take for the object I had in view, and, since I had to take it, it was safest to get through with the job before the discovery was made that I was no longer in jail.

It didn't take me three minutes to reach the station. The whole place was black as a coal dumper, except for the slices of light which shone through the cracks of the curtained windows in the specials, the dim light of the lamp in the station and the glow of the row of saloons 200 feet away. I was afraid, however, that there might be a spy lurking somewhere, for it was likely that Camp would hope to get some clew of the letters by keeping a watch on the station and the cars. Thinking boldness the safest course, I walked on to the platform without hesitation and went into the station. The "night man" was sitting in his chair, nodding, but he woke up the moment I spoke.

"Don't speak my name," I said warningly as he struggled to his feet, and then in the fewest possible words I told him what I wanted of him—to find if the pony I had ridden (Camp's or Baldwin's) was in town, and, if so, to learn where it was and to get the letters on the quiet from under the saddle flap. I chose this man, first, because I could trust him and, next, because I had only one of the Cullens as an alternative, and if any of them went sneaking round it would be sure to attract attention.

"The moment you have the letters put them in the station safe," I ended, "and then get word to me."

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South Bound	121	108	101
Lv. Cincinnati	6:00pm	8:15am	
Lv. Louisville	7:30am	9:00pm	10:15pm
Lv. Owensboro	8:35am	9:30pm	
Lv. H. Branch	10:15am	8:25pm	
Lv. Central City	12:01am	1:05am	8:50pm
Lv. Nortonville	12:40pm	1:40am	9:00pm
Lv. Evansville	8:40am	4:00pm	9:30am
Lv. Hopkinton	11:30am	8:35pm	9:35pm
Lv. Princeton	1:55pm	8:25am	4:47pm
Ar. Paducah	8:35pm	8:40am	6:00pm
Ar. Paducah	8:40pm	8:45am	6:05pm
Ar. Fulton	8:30pm	8:45am	7:10pm
Ar. Paducah	8:35pm	8:51am	
Ar. Cairo	8:35pm	12:15pm	9:25pm
Ar. Cairo	8:35pm	12:15pm	9:25pm
Ar. Jackson	8:35pm	2:45am	
Ar. Memphis	8:35pm	2:45am	10:00pm
Ar. N. Orleans	8:35pm	7:40pm	9:35am

North Bound

Lv. N. Orleans	7:30am	9:30am	9:30am
Lv. Memphis	7:00am	8:40am	
Lv. River	8:00am	10:05pm	
Lv. Paducah	8:15am	11:30pm	
Lv. Cairo	8:00am	8:20am	11:35pm
Lv. Fulton	8:00am	8:20am	11:35pm
Ar. Paducah	7:40am	11:30am	1:20am
Ar. Paducah	7:35am	11:25am	1:15am

Ar. Princeton

Ar. Princeton	8:25am	8:45pm	9:44am
Ar. Hopkinton	8:30am	8:10pm	10:45am
Ar. Evansville	8:35am	8:10pm	10:10am
Ar. Nortonville	8:40am	1:10pm	9:35am
Ar. Central City	8:45am	2:10pm	9:10pm
Ar. H. Branch	8:50am	3:00pm	9:05am
Ar. Owensboro	8:55pm	3:10pm	9:10am
Ar. Louisville	8:55pm	3:10pm	9:10am
Ar. Cincinnati	8:55pm	3:10pm	9:10am

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South Bound	285	274
Lv. St. Louis	7:30am	10:15pm
Lv. St. Louis	7:40am	10:20pm
Chicago	9:25am	10:10pm
Carbondale	11:10am	8:40am
Parker	11:30am	8:15am
Paducah	8:00pm	7:40am

North Bound

Lv. Paducah	10:15pm	8:15pm
Ar. Parker	8:30pm	10:10pm
Ar. Carbondale	8:30pm	10:10pm
Ar. Chicago	7:00am	10:30am
Ar. St. Louis	7:00pm	9:30am
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Jackson	12:40pm	7:35pm
Ar. Memphis	4:00pm	
Nashville	1:25pm	9:30pm
Chattanooga	9:30pm	3:05am
Atlanta	9:30pm	7:30am

NORTH BOUND.

Lv. Atlanta	8:30pm	
Chattanooga	5:00am	1:15am
Nashville	2:15pm	7:00am
Memphis	11:30am	
Jackson	3:35pm	7:45am
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himself and wife, slipping away in
the dead of night. Returning yester-
day, after a month's absence, he
was arrested. The court fined him
\$15 and costs.

Ben Davis and J. E. Shaner were
charged with a breach of the peace.
The former was dismissed and the
other fined \$5 and costs.

Charles McGinire and Arthur Bur-
gess, for a breach of the peace, were
granted a continuance.

The concealed weapon case against
Charles Bryant, colored, was contin-
ued again.

A case against Bud Nance and Kate
Hite, for adultery, was postponed.

WHEELMAN RUN DOWN.

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buggy, ran into him, knocking him
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the North Side by Dr. Coyle and an
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of Scottsville, shot and almost instan-
tly killed his pretty 15 year old sister-
in-law, Miss Nelly Henley. The kill-
ing resulted from indiscriminate snap-
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hard and fast, but she backed from
the position with her own engines. It
was not high water until 9:35. She
then proceeded to the bay and an-
chored for the night. It is believed
that the damage to the vessel is slight.

SEINER DROWNED.

Union City, July 24—According to
authentic reports, one of a crowd of
seiners of a Reelfoot Lake sloop, a
Mr. Harris of Dyer county, got be-
yond his depth a few days ago and was
drowned. The body was recovered.

FINGER BADLY MASHED.

Henry Robertson, an employe of
the Paducah Furniture Mfg. Co., met
with a slight accident this morning.
He got a finger caught in machinery
and badly mashed. Dr. Coyle dressed
the injury.



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COMMERCIAL CLUB

A Meeting Will Certainly be Held
This Evening.

A Number of Important Matters Ex-
pected to Come Up.

The deferred meeting of the Com-
mercial club of Paducah will take
place this evening at the city hall, and
it is promised that a number of im-
portant matters will come up for dis-
cussion and settlement. All the mem-
bers are urged to be present, and all
citizens are invited to attend as well.
The officers especially desire that
there be a large attendance at this
meeting.

COLORED CHRISTIANS.

CONVENTION OF DELEGATES
DOING REAL WORK.

The colored Christian church con-
vention which has been in session in
this city since Tuesday morning has
gotten down to real work. All the
morning session was largely taken up
by the routine work of the program
this morning. Rev. W. H. Bowen, of
Millersburg, addressed the convention
on "The Plea of the Disciples with
the Race," and Prof. O. Singleton, of
Louisville, on the "Economy of Chris-
tianity." During the morning session
considerable of a discussion ensued
over the adoption of rules. "The
Needs of Church Paper," "The Holy
Spirit in Conversion" and "How to
Strengthen Our Week Churches" are
among the subjects together with the
report of committees taken up this
evening. Rev. W. H. Brown, of Mt.
Sterling, will preach tonight. The
session Friday morning will open
with a sermon by Dr. M. F. Robin-
son, of Louisville. Much interest is
being manifested and there is an un-
usually large attendance.

DEATH IN GRAVES.

Jack Bell, a well known young man
living near Clear Springs, Groves
county, died Tuesday from congestion.
He was an unmarried man, 24 years
of age, and son of Mrs. Margaret Bell.
He leaves two brothers and one sister.
The burial took place at the Tucker
graveyard.

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\$3.00	\$5.00
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COATS	Coat and Vest
CLOSE-OUT PRICE	CLOSE-OUT PRICE
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Men's Blue and Black \$7.50 Serge Coats and Vests, Close- out price	\$5.63	Men's and Boys' \$10 Outing Coats and Pants Close-out price	\$7.50
Men's and Boys' \$5.00 Outing Coats and Pants Close-out price	\$3.75	Men's \$12.50 Outing Coats and Pants Close- out price	\$9.38
Men's and Boys' \$7.50 Outing Coats and Pants Close-out price	\$5.63	Special Notice. All other cut prices on Men's and Boys' Spring Suits continues as hereto- fore advertised.	

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